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Docket No. 5432/1H602US1

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Thomas RUHLAND, Kim ANDERSEN and Henrik PEDERSEN

For: A SOLID SUPPORT BASED ON SELENIUM USEFUL IN SOLID PHASE SYNTHESIS

CONTINUING APPLICATION

Hon. Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

This is a request for filing under 37 C.F.R. 1.53(b) of a:

[X] Continuation

∏ Divisional

application of the following pending prior application:

Serial No. 09/677,851

Filed: September 29, 2000

Of: Thomas RUHLAND, Kim ANDERSEN and Henrik PEDERSEN

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SYNTHESIS

Group: 1639

Examiner:

Maurie Garcia BAKER

- 1. Enclosed is a specification (18 pp. written description; 3 pp. claims; 1 p. abstract), and an unexecuted Declaration/Power of Attorney.
- 2. The filing fee is calculated below:

	Claims on File	Number Extra	Rate
Basic Fee			\$750.00
Total Claims	14 - 20 =	0 x \$18	\$
Independent Claims	5 - 3 = 4	2 x \$84	\$168.00
If Multiple Dependent Claims Are Present, Add \$280.00			\$
Total Filing Fee			\$918.00
For Small Entity (half of preceding total)*			\$

^{*}No. 9 below must be checked to claim this reduction.

- 3. [] Cancel claims _.
- 4. [X] Amend the specification as follows. On page 1, after the title, add the following paragraph (check one and fill in):

This is a [X] continuation, [] division, of application Serial No. 09/677,851, filed September 29, 2000, which is a continuation of International application no. PCT/DK99/00179, filed March 26, 1999. Each of the prior applications is hereby incorporated herein by reference, in its entirety.

- 5. [X] The prior application is assigned to: H. Lundbeck A/S
- 6. [] A Preliminary Amendment is also enclosed.
- 7. [X] Information Disclosure Statement and Form PTO-1449
- 8. [X] Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.215(b), please print the following information on the face of the published application:

Assignee:

H. Lundbeck A/S

Copenhagen-Valby, Denmark

9. [X]

Priority is claimed from

Country:

Denmark 0453/98

Number: Date:

March 31, 1998

The priority document

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was filed December 13, 2000 in parent application serial no.

09/677,851

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is enclosed.

10. The Assignment

[X] was recorded at Reel <u>011352</u> Frame <u>0581</u> on <u>December 18, 2000</u>.

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Date: July 14, 2003

Respectfully submitted,

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